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Case 16385
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Frohberg et al.
Serial No. : 09/744,926
For : NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES ENCODING AN
ALPHA-GLUCOSIDASE, PLANTS WHICH
SYNTHESIZE A MODIFIED STARCH, THE
GENERATION OF THE PLANTS, THEIR USE,
AND THE MODIFIED STARCH
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION WITH
REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action (restriction requirement) dated July 3, 2002,
having a one month term for reply. A timely response is being filed on August 5, 2002, as
August 3 is a Saturday.